

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [001] on page 1 of the Application, in the section titled "**LOW MEMORY AND MIPS EFFICIENT TECHNIQUE FOR DECODING HUFFMAN CODES USING MULTI-STAGE, MULTI-BITS LOOKUP AT DIFFERENT LEVELS**", with the following paragraph:

RELATED APPLICATIONS

[001] This application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. [_____,] 60/518,095, entitled "**LOW MEMORY AND MIPS EFFICIENT TECHNIQUE FOR DECODING HUFFMAN CODES USING MULTI-STAGE, MULTI-BITS LOOKUP AT DIFFERENT LEVELS**", filed November 7, 2003, by Singhal, which is incorporate herein by reference.